

ASCA Announces 2014 RAMP Schools

ALEXANDRIA, VA. – This year, 72 schools received the Recognized ASCA Model Program (RAMP) designation during a special ceremony at the American School Counselor Association's annual conference in Orlando, Fl. The schools were honored on July 1 for making an exemplary commitment to comprehensive school counseling programs, ASCA officials announced.

The RAMP designation, awarded to schools that align with the criteria set in the ASCA National Model, recognizes schools that are committed to delivering a comprehensive, data-driven school counseling program and an exemplary educational environment. Since the program's inception, 545 schools have been designated as RAMP recipients.

Jill Cook, ASCA assistant director and RAMP coordinator, said this year's recipients are to be commended for their dedication to serving all students and demonstrating how effective school counseling programs can make a difference in students' lives.

"This year's RAMP honorees have shown their commitment to students and the school counseling profession," Cook said. "This designation distinguishes these schools and encourages school counselors nationwide to continue to strive for success."

The 2014 RAMP schools are:

Arizona

Lake Havasu High School, Lake Havasu City

Colorado

Alamosa High School, Alamosa Rocky Mountain High School (Re-RAMP), Fort Collins

Connecticut

Newington High School, Newington

Florida

Hyde Park Elementary School, Jacksonville Nelson Elementary School, Dover

Georgia

Carlton J. Kell High School, Marietta
Dawnville Elementary School, Dalton
Decatur High School, Decatur
Dowell Elementary School, Marietta
Hahira Middle School, Hahira
Hightower Trail Middle School, Marietta
Hillgrove High School (Re-RAMP), Powder Springs
Kemp Elementary School, Powder Springs
M.H. Mason Elementary School (Re-RAMP), Duluth
North Forsyth High School, Cumming
Peachtree Ridge High School (Re-RAMP), Suwanee
Roberts Elementary School (Re-RAMP), Marietta
White Oak Elementary School (Re-RAMP), Sugar Hill

Illinois

Amundsen High School, Chicago
Brooks Middle School, Bolingbrook
Chicago Academy High School, Chicago
Downers Grove South High School, Downers Grove
Loyalo Academy, Wilmette
Maine West High School, Des Plaines
Plainfield South High School, Plainfield
Von Steuben Metro Science Center (Re-RAMP), Chicago

Indiana

Clinton Prairie Elementary School, Frankfort
Connersville Senior High School, Connersville
Cumberland Elementary School, West Lafayette
English Elementary School, English
Jennings County Middle School (Re-RAMP), North Vernon
Leo Jr/Sr High School, Leo
Munster High School (Re-RAMP), Munster
Paoli Jr. & Sr. High School, Paoli

Patoka Elementary School, Eckerty
Scottsburg Middle School (Re-RAMP), Scottsburg
Southport High School, Indianapolis
Zionsville West Middle School (Re-RAMP), Whitestown

Kentucky

Tichenor Middle School, Erlanger KY

Maryland

Carroll Manor Elementary School, Baldwin

Michigan

Lakeland High School (Re-RAMP), White Lake

North Carolina

Fuquay-Varina High School (Re-RAMP), Fuquay-Varina Green Hope High School (Re-RAMP), Cary John W. Dillard Elementary School, Madison Salem Middle School, Apex Wakefield High School (Re-RAMP), Raleigh Zebulon GT Magnet Middle School (Re-RAMP), Zebulon

Nebraska

Randolph Elementary School (Re-RAMP), Lincoln

Nevada

Burkholder Middle School, Henderson Lucile Bruner Elementary School, Las Vegas

Pennsylvania

East Allegheny High School, N. Versailles

South Carolina

Bell's Crossing Elementary School, Simpsonville Carolina Springs Middle School, Lexington Whale Branch Middle School, Seabrook White Knoll Middle SchoolWest, Columbia

Tennessee

Cleveland High School, Cleveland Hillsboro High School, Nashville

Virginia

Brookfield Elementary School, Chantilly
James Madison High School (Re-RAMP), Vienna
Langley High School, McLean
Little River Elementary School, South Riding
Nottingham Elementary School (Re-RAMP), Arlington

Oakridge Elementary School, Arlington Poplar Tree Elementary School, Chantilly Rockledge Elementary School, Woodbridge South County High School, Lorton South Lakes High School (Re-RAMP), Reston Wakefield High School, Arlington Washington-Lee High School, Arlington

Wyoming

Cheyenne South High School, Cheyenne

RAMP applications are reviewed once a year by a panel of school counseling professionals. The next submission deadline is Oct. 15, 2014. For more information on the program, visit www.ASCANationalModel.org/ramp.

The American School Counselor Association (www.schoolcounselor.org) is a worldwide nonprofit organization based in Alexandria, Va. Founded in 1952, ASCA supports school counselors' efforts to help students focus on academic, personal/social and career development so they not only achieve success in school but are prepared to lead fulfilling lives as responsible members of society. The association provides professional development, publications and other resources, research and advocacy to school counselors around the globe.

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